

Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor

Alex. H. Washburn

Grass-Roots Trouble

Abuse of Tax Power

McClellan's Idea

News account says Southern Methodist university is having trouble with the turf in its football stadium. Yes. Even way up here in Hope we have trouble with that darn Dallas grass.

Arkansas Democrat reported over the weekend that the State Department of Revenues is preparing to "crack down" on 11,000 Arkansans who failed to file state income tax returns last May.

It used to be that the state income tax was merely optional. Then the state cut its full allowance on federal income tax payments to only 50 per cent, and the state tax jumped considerably. Finally, for the tax year 1948 the state wiped out the federal allowance entirely — and the state return zoomed up to a full-fledged income tax.

The right to tax is, of course, the right to destroy; and the one thing that makes the federal income tax bearable for most Americans is our feeling that it is rigorously and fairly enforced. But when the state government engages in the same field of taxation, we get some strange language. The Democrat reported yesterday:

"W. R. (Bill) Orton, income tax division director, said notification would be given to persons whom they determine owe the state tax. The state law requires penalties be imposed on these delinquents. However, Mr. Orton emphasized that those persons who came in and filed voluntarily would not be assessed a penalty."

Well, then, if the state isn't going to charge interest on delinquent accounts it certainly ought to pay interest to those who meet their axes on time.

If the state is going to play the federal game on incomes taxes it will have to learn to go all the way — treating everyone alike — or certain scandal will force the state to get out of the income tax business entirely.

Speaking of card games, Senator L. McClellan has just dealt President Truman a new hand.

The senator proposed last week that when the president submits his annual budget covering proposed expenditures and proposed tax increases he send along with it an alternate budget — like a spare tire, in case the one on the wheel goes flat.

This alternate budget would disclose how the president would rearrange expenditures in case he got no tax increase but had to run the government on existing revenues.

It's a new and interesting proposal.

But Mr. Truman's isn't going to accept it.

Politicians don't take kindly to the idea of disclosing their hole card before the poker hand is complete.

High Officials to See Navy in Operation

By ELTON C. FAY

Associated Press Military Writer

Aboard the Aircraft Carrier

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Sept. 26

— A navy carrier task force sailed from Norfolk today to give Defense Secretary Louis Johnson and other ranking U. S. military officials an on-board look at how modern seapower operates.

Secretary of the Air Force Symington; General Omar Bradley, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff; chief of staff of the three services; General C. B. Cates, commandant of the marine corps, and a group of civilians also were to sit in on the day naval exercise of the Atlantic coast.

The civilians — about eighty representatives of labor, education, religion, industry and other units of the nation's economy — were fitting a week of talks with policy-making military leaders in Washington and visits to two air force and army installations. The purpose of this trip, as was that of previous ones, was to let representatives of the taxpayers see how the military runs, and to learn at first hand its problems.

The defense secretary started these trips recently to bring the heads of the three armed services together formally to foster closer coordination in the military department.

But today Johnson was working the "orientation" both ways. He wanted the air force and army high command to see how the navy would fight another war so in the event defense department chiefs call "cross-education" among the armed forces.

The "scuttlebutt" gossip aboard this ship when she sailed was that neither Johnson nor General Hoyt Vandenberg, air force chief of staff, had ever set foot on a navy flattop at sea.

Twelve Granted Petitions to Practice Law

Little Rock, Sept. 26 — (UPI) — Twelve persons today were granted petitions by the Arkansas Supreme Court to practice law.

Included were: Glenn W. Hackley, Fort Smith; James H. Kranishoff, Fayetteville; Charles M. Conway, Texarkana; Ben J. Harrison, Hot Springs, and William T. Mathis, Arkadelphia.

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Foreign Policy to Be Top Issue in Campaign

Washington, Sept. 26 — (P) — A Republican-Democratic battle over foreign policy seemed to be developing today in preliminary skirmishes of the 1 to 10 congressional campaign.

Politicians said they will be surprised if it warms into the isolationist-internationalist argument of yesteryear. Instead, they look for a quarrel over the methods and strategy of keeping world peace.

Two Republican candidates in next year's senate races — Senator Taft of Ohio and former Rep. Dirksen of Illinois — already are beating the bushes in criticism of administration foreign policies.

Dirksen told a reporter some of his critics are accusing him unjustly of being an isolationist because he voted against the North Atlantic security pact and the administration's \$1,314,000,000 foreign arms program.

Taft said he balked at the arms program because he thinks it may provoke Russia to war much sooner than the Soviets otherwise might go.

He said he voted against the pact only because he felt that it involved an arms commitment.

Dirksen, known as an advocate of international cooperation, when he was a member of the house had been off on the Marshall plan. He voted for it, when he was in the house.

Now he says that the U. S. deficit is such that to be sending funds abroad for European economic recovery is "like the blind leading the blind."

Senator Donnel (R-Mo.) another Republican critic of the handling of international affairs, expects to start campaigning now for next year's elections. His record is varied, since he voted against the North Atlantic pact but in favor of the arms program.

There are reports the administration may send W. Stuart Symington, secretary of the air force and former St. Louis manufacturer, after Donnell's scalp.

Senator Caphart (R-Ind.) who once called for an end to the bipartisan foreign policy but later voted for the Atlantic pact, already is meeting fences in his home state. Caphart wasn't recorded on the arms bill.

The extension is until June 12, 1951.

Cordell Hull, former secretary of state and credited with originating the trade agreements principle 15 years ago, was present to watch the President sign the bill.

Making one of his rare public appearances and showing effects of long illness, Hull walked into the White House with the aid of a cane to join other notables. It was Hull's first visit to the White House since V-J day.

In a statement, Mr. Truman said that "through this wise and far-sighted legislation, the United States reaffirms its intention of pressing forward toward expanded world trade at a time when such action is most urgently needed."

Mr. Truman said this country looks forward to a reestablishment of economic balance in the world and added:

"Only in such a world economy can we foresee the maintenance of adequate and rising standards of living when our programs of financial assistance terminate."

Morris denied that his Alabama Klan was "split wide open" by the merger, as the heads of the new organization claimed.

In fact, Morris said, officials of Alabama Klan Klaverns held a "strategy meeting" Saturday night after the merger was announced and gave Morris a "full vote of confidence" as their imperial wizard.

Officials at the meeting represented 30,000 Alabama klansmen, Morris claimed.

The Alabama Klan leader hinted, however, that he might be receptive to an invitation from the new group headed by Sam W. Roper, formerly imperial wizard of the Georgia Klan, who was Roper who announced Saturday at Knoxville, Tenn., that his organization had joined forces with the newly-formed Knights of the Ku Klux Klan of Montgomery, Ala., headed by Lycurgus Spinks.

Roper became imperial wizard of the merger unit. Spinks remained chaplain and public relations counselor.

"We have no desire to become a bunch of clowns," in the path of a nationwide Klan, Morris said.

"But until such time as we become a respected part of such an organization we are incapable of taking care of the Klan situation wherever we operate."

Meanwhile, Roper and Spinks said their organization is now the largest Klan group in America, embracing more than 20 states. They would mention specifically only Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Tennessee and Florida, however.

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Youth Loses Arm in Farm Machine

Paragould, Sept. 26 — (P) — Joseph Ponder, 12, lost his left arm in a corn harvester this morning.

The boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ponder of near Walnut Ridge, was trying to unclog the machine, drawn by a tractor operated by his father. It required more than an hour to free him.

At Dickson Memorial hospital here, attendants said he also suffered a head wound.

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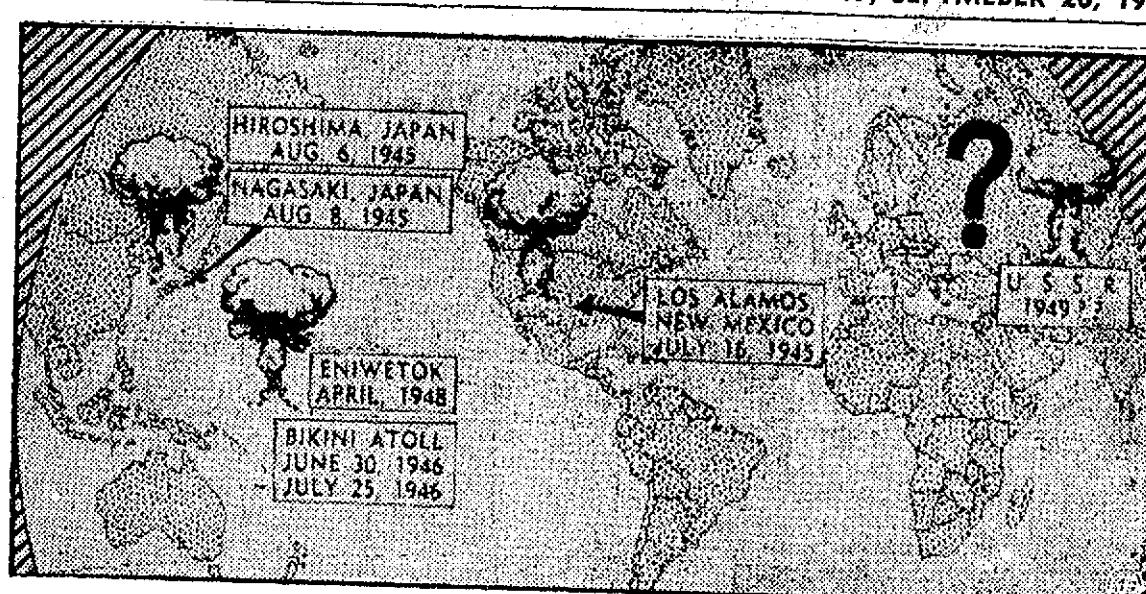
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NINE ATOMIC BOMBS HAVE BEEN EXPLODED — President Truman's announcement of an atomic blast somewhere in Russia brings the total of such explosions throughout the world to nine. First was set off near Los Alamos, New Mexico, on July 16, 1945. Next two leveled Hiroshima on Aug. 6 and 8, 1945. Two test bombs were set off at Bikini Atoll on June 30 and July 25, 1946. Exact date and location of the latest bomb blast are still undisclosed, but evidence signs Russia's possession of vital A-bomb data.

Truman Signs Reciprocal Trade Law

Paris, Sept. 26 — (P) — Europe looks forward to a bumper 1949 wheat crop, approaching the yield of pre-war years.

An Associated Press survey of 14 countries disclosed that experts estimate the current harvest will top even last year's crop, despite long summer droughts.

Only two eastern European countries were included in the survey, because most iron curtain countries have made it a crime to discuss Europe's wheat production in close crop estimates.

The high court reconvened this morning after its summer recess with new Justice Robert A. Leflar, sitting on the bench for the first time. He was appointed to succeed Justice R. W. Roberts.

The cash funds suit, brought by State Rep. James A. Gipson of Saline county, attacks constitutionality of expenditure of cash funds of money derived from other than legislative appropriations. Thirty-four state institutions are involved.

The high court, itself, is involved indirectly because the Supreme court library — under the court's supervision — has a cash fund.

In Stalin getting ready to make any concessions to the West in favor of honest-to-goodness international supervision?

Tass, the official Soviet news agency, asserted Russia had atomic weapons since 1947. It again said the Soviet union was ready for international control of atomic energy but didn't say what kind of control — a point that has balked American-Soviet agreement because previously Russia has insisted on a veto power over international inspectors.

France, Spain, already possessing uranium deposits, was reported to have found new veins of the ore from which atom bombs are made. This prompted speculation as to whether Generalissimo Franco would use his uranium store in bargaining for improved relations with the Western powers.

3. A new uranium mine was reported opened in Czechoslovakia under the direction of Russian engineers. At least two Czech mines are known to be sending uranium directly to Soviet Russia.

4. German scientists and uranium ore from east Germany helped the Russians develop their bomb.

Informant American and German sources reported.

Although the Tass announcement did not confirm or deny President Truman's disclosure of a recent atomic explosion in Russia, it matter-of-factly declared that Russia had atomic weapons since 1947.

Many western European statesmen and diplomats privately took the two-year bomb claim with a grain of salt. But chief interest centered on the news agency's statement that Russia still wants international control of atomic energy.

The main question was:

Is Stalin getting ready to make any concessions to the West in favor of honest-to-goodness international supervision?

Tass declared the Soviet union stands on its former position of favoring absolute prohibition of the use of atomic weapons. It added:

"Concerning control of the atomic weapon, it has to be said that control will be essential in order to check up on fulfillment of a decision on the prohibition of production of atomic weapons."

The provision to "check up" has been the stumbling block to agreement for three years.

The U. S. and the overwhelming majority of the United Nations voted in favor of an international commission to control the atomic

weapons.

Eight other cases — seven involving criminal charges — also were submitted today.

One was a petition for a rehearing of the death sentence imposed on Thomas Edwin Black, Little Rock garage mechanic, in the death of a Fort Root nurse, Betty Jane McCall, here, Sept. 23, 1948. The Supreme court upheld the death sentence last June.

The court took under advisement after oral arguments an appeal of George Cooper, convicted in Benton county for the "valve star" death sentence. He is under life sentence. A decision may be handed down next Monday.

Picket lines were thrown up around the plant, which is about 20 miles west of Allentown.

Maintenance men remained at work to keep equipment in readiness for the end of the strike. This was agreed upon both by the union and management of the company.

Company spokesman said no further negotiations sessions have been arranged.

Killed by Car

Pay Boost for Armed Forces Likely

Washington, Sept. 26.—(P)—Legislation authorizing the first general pay boost for the armed forces in 40 years comes up for a Senate vote today with approval generally regarded as certain.

The Senate arranged to ballot at 1 p.m. EST. Backers of the measure predicted only scattered opposition.

The house already has approved a similar bill. Both draft and the Senate version both provide linking the pay of most ranks from private to major general.

The cost of the Senate bill is estimated at \$24,000,000 from October 1, when this pay increase would become effective, through the fiscal year ending next June 30. During the following fiscal year the cost would go to \$348,000,000 and then come down to \$304,000,000 annually thereafter.

In most cases the proposed pay increases are larger or higher ranking officers than for enlisted men. The reason, congressmen believe, is that there has not been a general pay realignment at top levels for 40 years. Enlisted men have had some increases under the senate bill.

In the army a major general with 27 years service and basic pay and allowances at present amounts to \$895.33 a month would get a 25 per cent increase to \$1,118.33.

A private first class with three years service would get a nine per cent hike in monthly basic pay from the present \$94.50 to 102.90. Besides the army the pay in-

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Uranium

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ic energy process from mine to finished product. They want no veto on punishment of any nation violating the atomic code, and powers of inspection to search out any violations.

Washington, Sept. 26.—(P)—The question of Russian espionage and American security won more emphasis from U. S. lawmakers today than a renewal of Soviet suggestions for world controls over the A-bomb.

Two week-end statements by a pair of strategically placed members of Congress especially argued for tighter curbs on spies — now that Russia has had an atomic bomb of her own.

The arguments were advanced by Rep. Velde (R-Ill.), a former German who worked on Soviet espionage cases and Senator O'Connor (D-Md.), acting chairman of a Senate immigration subcommittee.

Now a member of the House Un-American activities committee, Velde talked of introducing a resolution demanding that Congress investigate "our entire security situation."

Velde said there should be an inquiry, that the security record is "disgraceful," and a "threat to our national existence."

After five years, he said, the American government "from the White House down" has had an official attitude of tolerance and even sympathy for the views of communists and fellow-travelers.

As a result, he continued, espionage flourished and the Russians undoubtedly gained three to five years in manufacturing the atomic bomb.

Saying that there has been infiltration in the government by a spy network over the years, Velde added: "Soviet agents are still highly active."

In broadcast, O'Connor said that under present laws the door is open for "communist infiltration under the guise of diplomatic and semi-diplomatic status." Not only rank and file subversives are coming in, he said, but also hundreds of ring leaders.

"As the agents of Moscow," he said, "they are the brains and the driving force of subversive activity in this country."

They get in, he continued, as diplomats or as representatives of international organizations like the United Nations.

Good Samaritan
What's happened to old Atlas?
He look it on the "jam".
And left his world-supporting job.
To good old Uncle Sam.

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Social Calendar

Tuesday, September 27

The Cosmopolitan club will meet at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Hampton Hanegan with Mrs. LaMar Cox, co-hostess.

The Oglesby Junior High P. T. A. will meet at the school at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 27, for the first meeting of the current year. The Executive committee which includes all the officers and committee members will meet at 2:30 p.m. A social hour will follow and all parents are urged to attend this important meeting.

Thursday, September 29

The B & PW club will have a steak fry at the Fair park at 7 p.m. Thursday, September 29, and will hold their annual white elephant sale and bazaar. Each member is requested to bring at least one guest and bring packages for the white elephant sale and a gift for the bazaar to be displayed.

Please make your reservations with Mrs. Cas. O. Thomas by Tuesday noon.

Agatha Bullard Weds

J. Robert Prator

The marriage of Miss Agatha Bullard, Pine Bluff, formerly of Hope, daughter of Mrs. Charles Franklin Bullard and the late Mr. Bullard, to J. Robert Prator, Anchorage, Alaska, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Prator, Anchorage, was solemnized in the candlelight ceremony, September 11, at six o'clock in the First Methodist church, Ashdown. The Reverend W. D. Golden read the double ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and friends of the bridal couple. The altar was banked on each side of the kneeling arch and pre dieu with baskets of yellow chrysanthemums and rose gladioli before a background of ferns and Southern ferns. The pews for the families were marked with bows of white satin. The tapers in pyramid candelabra were lighted by Miss Evance Fikes and Miss Sallye Ruth McGregor both of Pine Bluff.

preceding the ceremony Mrs. H. E. Tye, organist, played "The Rosary," "Oh Sweet Mystery of Life," and "Ave Maria," and accompanied Miss Mildred Wallis, Pine Bluff, who sang "Because" and "Through the Years." "To a Wild Rose" was played softly during the exchange of vows and for the benediction Miss Wallis sang the "Lord's Prayer," while the bride and bridegroom knelt at the pre dieu.

The bride, who entered with her brother-in-law, J. I. Johnson was attired in a street-length dress of cinnamon belted taffeta. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid.

Mrs. J. W. Beaver, Jr., Queen City, Texas, served her sister as matron of honor. She wore a steel blue taffeta dress and carried a floral wedding ring in pink. J. W. Beaver, Jr., Queen City, Texas, was best man and ushers

were James Grady Spears, Texarkana, and Odiean Phillips, Ashdown.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the recreational hall of the church. Decorations of ferns were used to form the background for arrangements of autumn flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Meadow presented guests to the receiving line.

The bridal table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake. Tablecloth was covered with an imported hand embroidered white linen cloth, caught at vantage points with pink rosebuds and white satin. Assistants in serving were Mrs. Dannie Hamilton, Miss Mary Delta White, and Mrs. Fred White. Mrs. Odiean Phillips was in charge of the bride's bouquet.

For traveling, the bride chose a cinnamon pin-striped suit. Her hat was of brown fur felt with matching accessories. Her corsage was the orchid from the bridal bouquet.

On their return from the wedding trip the couple will be temporarily at home at 1109 West Fifteenth Avenue, Pine Bluff, until November 1, when they will leave for their home at Fifteenth and H streets, Anchorage, Alaska, where the bridegroom is connected with the Alaska Railroad.

Among the out-of-town guests present were Mrs. Dannie Hamilton, Columbus, sister of the bride; Mrs. J. I. Johnston, Ashdown, sister of the bride; Mary Delta White and Mrs. Fred White, Hope, and J. W. Beaver, Queen City, Texas, lifetime friend of the bride-groom.

Mrs. Churchwell and Leo Hartsfield Honored

A surprise birthday dinner was held Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Sidney Churchwell, and her brother, Leo Hartsfield, at the home of Mrs. Churchwell on the Shover Springs road. Dinner was served buffet style from the long table centered with a huge birthday cake.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mrs. John Hartsfield, Sr., and Mrs. Leo Hartsfield, and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Hartsfield, Jr., and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hartsfield and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Casey and Mr. Casey.

Bernie Hargis, Jr., of Warren arrived Saturday to join Mrs. Hargis in a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sutton here. They returned to their home in Warren Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Moran and Jackie had a week-end guests, her brother, and sisters, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Jackson, Sammie and Perdita, and Johnnie Shumate of Murfreesboro; Mr. and Mrs. David Conner and Tim of Spring Hill, La.; Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Thweatt and Tony of Broken Bow, Okla.

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Coming and Going

Mrs. E. F. Formby, Mrs. Frank Rider, Mrs. T. P. Boyett, and Mrs. L. A. Keith left Monday morning for Taylor, Ark., to attend the funeral of their uncle, Dr. E. T. Hudnall, who died Sunday evening. The funeral was held Monday afternoon in Taylor.

Miss Fannie L. Smith of Dallas is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Beckworth.

Mrs. Robert Rowe, Mrs. C. J. Rowe, and Mrs. J. A. May have returned from Shreveport where they attended the Clarke-Richardson wedding Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Nelson of Mrs. J. B. Beckworth Friday.

Mrs. Juanita Beckworth left Saturday for Springfield, Mo., to visit her sister, Mrs. E. A. Julian and Mr. Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn Wynne visited Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Burk in Magnolia this week-end, and attended the Magnolia A & M-Ouachita game there Saturday night.

Mrs. Eva D. Taylor of Texarkana is guest of her daughter, Mrs. Claude Whitehurst and family here.

Dewey Putman and children, Syble and Buddy, spent Sunday with his uncle Mr. and Mrs. Archie Putman and other relatives in Mineral Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bourne attended the wedding of Mrs. Bourne's granddaughter, Fances Fowler to Durwood L. Long in Texarkana Sunday, September 18.

J. E. Jackson of New Orleans and his mother, Mrs. J. S. Jackson of Texarkana have returned to their home after spending several days with their sister and daughter, Mrs. Pat Casey and Mr. Casey.

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BEAUTY AFOOT



DOROTHY DIX

Innocent Victim

Dear Dorothy Dix: I am a girl 19 years old. Three years ago, I came to the city from a small town and got a job in a department store. After a short time, afterward the big boss called me to his office and talked to me. Found out I had little education and urged me to go to night school and improve myself. Which I did. He is old enough to be her father.

If you leave your kind old friend, he will miss you for a while, but that will pass and his name and his home will be saved. If you stay, you will wreck him as well as yourself. So go.

Dear Miss Dix: We are a group of young mothers who will some day be mothers-in-law, therefore we have made a list of the things that our mothers-in-law do that annoy us most, and we have pledged ourselves to re-read this each New Year's Day in order to avoid doing the same things to our daughters-in-law that our mothers-in-law are doing to us. So here goes:

(1) Never find fault with our sons' wives' clothes, cooking, housework or how they bring up their children. (2) Never sit in an argument with either party. (3) Never ask about our son or wife such questions regarding personal matters such as salaries, savings, cost of anything the couple may own.

(4) Never drop in for an unexpected visit. Always phone or write in advance, so the son's wife may let us know if she has a previous engagement. (5) Never stay in the same room when the young couple read their mail, open packages, or when they discuss their personal problems with each other. (6) Never have the running of the son's house changed to suit our ideas, such as cooking, washing, mealtimes, etc.

(7) Never refer to the young folks' possessions as "my son's."

TRUTHFUL THINKERS

Answer: Taking it by and large, the world's greatest optimists are the girls who marry and go to live with their in-laws and expect to be happy ever afterwards. It takes a miracle-worker to pull off that stunt. True, now and then Angelina and John's mother have the tact and forbearance to keep out of each other's hair, but off the most part it justifies the Chinese ideograph of a fight — two women in the same house.

Hence I commend these rules, for keeping the peace to all prospective mothers-in-law.

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(8) Never call upon our children when we don't feel well or are tired, as it very upsetting to many women to have anyone lie down on their beds. (9) If possible try not to live with the young couple, but if you must, always act as a visitor, not the owner of the house. Remember ALWAYS that it is their house, not ours.

(10) Never correct a daughter-in-law, no matter what she does or says. Every daughter-in-law thinks she is Mrs. Solomon, and, anyway, mothers-in-law and daughters-in-law just don't mix.

WISHFUL THINKERS

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City Docket

Luther Bishop, possession of untaxed intoxicating liquor. Forfeited \$50 cash bond.

James West, possession of untaxed intoxicating liquor, forfeited \$50 cash bond.

Jesse Brooks, possession of untaxed intoxicating liquor, plea guilty, fined \$100.

The following forfeited \$10 cash bond on a charge of gaming:

Buck Hughey, George Williams, Joe Walker, Ambrose Henderson, Larry Dixon, A. D. Jones.

W. B. Edington, running a "red" light, forfeited \$1 cash bond.

Jerry Norwood, incorrect parking, forfeited \$1 cash bond.

Grandville Cartney, drunkenness, plea guilty, fined \$10.

The following forfeited \$10 cash bond on a charge of drunkenness:

Bill O'Brien, Roy Bradford, Autrey Porterfield, L. B. Marcus, Grady McNatt, B. Evans.

A. J. Knowlton, speeding, forfeited \$5 cash bond.

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6:30 Gabriel Heater—M

6:45 Fulton Lewis, Jr.—M

7:00 Straight Arrow—M

7:30 Affair of Peter Salem—M

Bill Henry, News—M

8:00 The Tornadoes

8:30 Secret Missions—M

9:00 American Forum of Air—M

9:30 Mutual Newsreel—M

9:45 Concert Notebook—M

10:00 All the News—M

10:30 Dance Music—M

11:00 Mutual Reports News—M

11:00 Sign Off

11:30 Sun On

12:00 Rhythm Roundup

12:15 Barn Breakfast

12:30 Hillbilly Hit Parade

6:45 Quartet Time

7:00 Musical Clock

7:30 Breakfast Edition of News

7:45 Morning Devotional

8:00 Proof of the Pudding

8:15 Walter Mason—M

8:30 Sunrise Serenade

9:00 Cecile Brown, News—M

9:15 Faith in Our Times—M

9:30 Georgia Crackers—M

9:45 The Tempotones—M

10:00 Behind the Story—M

10:15 Party Line Patter—M

10:30 Against the Story—M

11:00 Kate Smith—M

11:15 Dobie Gray—Q

11:30 Kate Smith Sings—M

11:45 Gabriel Heater Malibag—M

Tuesday p. m.

12:00 News, Home Edition

12:15 John Daniel Quartet

12:30 Riders of the Purple Sage

12:45 Eddy Arnold Show—M

1:00 Queen for a Day—M

1:30 Say It With Music—M

2:00 Sutton's Livestock Sale

2:30 Rhythmic Ranch Hands

2:45 Bob Poole's Show—M

3:00 Alabama Melodies

3:30 100 Club

4:00 Sing Time

4:45 Social Security Day by Day

5:00 Silvright Arrow—M

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Prescott News

Monday, September 26
The American Legion and Wom-
en's Auxiliary will have a joint
meeting Monday night at 7:30 at
the church for free feed. All
are urged to come and
be a guest. The Legion extends
special invitation to all veterans
and their wives. General McAle-
ster will be outstanding speaker
in the evening along with other
entertainment.

Tuesday, September 27
Group conference for the women
of the Presbyterian church in
Jaluita. Prescot church Tuesday
for all day meeting.

The Wednesday Bridge club
will meet Tuesday afternoon at
8:30 in the home of Mrs. Saxon
Regan.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the
Central Baptist church will meet
Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Wednesday, September 28
The Tchaikovsky Merry Go
Round Junior Miss club will meet
Wednesday afternoon at the home
of Martha Ann Mitchell.

Coterie Meets in
Cooper Home

The Prescott Musical Coterie
met Wednesday afternoon in the
home of Mrs. Jack Cooper with
Mrs. J. L. Bryson co-hostess.

Arrangements of late au-
tumn flowers were used to deco-
rate the rooms.

Mrs. V. V. McMahen, assistant,
called the meeting to order. The
minutes were read by the secre-
tary, Mrs. Alkins.

Mrs. McMahen outlined the
study plans for the year and the
musical projects the Coterie plans
to carry out this year. New mem-
bers were welcomed.

Mrs. E. B. Gee installed the of-
ficers for the year in an impres-
sive ceremony.

Mrs. W. G. Bensberg sang a selec-
tion from her favorite operas.
Mrs. Bryson played a piano selec-
tion from her favorite opera. During
the social hour recordings from
various operas were played.

A delectable dessert course and
coffee were served by the
hostesses.

The Tchaikovsky Merry Go
Round Junior Music club will be
sponsored by Mrs. Lela Hays and
Mrs. H. L. Eaton.

Methodist Men's
Fellowship Dinner

There were fifty men present for
the Methodist Men's Fellowship
dinner at the church on Wednes-
day night.

Worship C. D. Ward presided.
Gospel singing led by Joe T.
Smith was enjoyed. A vocal duet

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How Would You Say It?

Curley Lawson's cousin from back
East and a few of us got talking
when he was here visiting, and I
couldn't help noticing how different
he said things.

For instance, he said, "Lifting
that 200-pound bag of cement
almost killed me." "You mean sack
or cement?" asks Curley. (That's
the way we'd say it.) "No," inter-
rupts young Elliott who'd spent a
lot of time down South. "He means
a poke of cement."

It was good for a chuckle, any-
way. Bag, sack or poke—we knew

what he was trying to say. Just depends on where you are in
the U.S., which way sounds right.

From where I sit, whenever we
criticize someone for sounding fun-
ny to us, we ought to think how we
sound to them. It's the same as
choosing your liquid refreshment.
I'm accustomed to a moderate glass
of beer—you may like ginger ale—
but who's to say the other's wrong?
I'd say we're both right!

Joe Marsh

Russian People 'Calm' About Atom News

Moscow, Sept. 26 — (UP) — The
Russian people greeted with calm-
ness today the news of Soviet pos-
session of the atom bomb, and there
was no sign of anti-American
sentiment among street gather-
ings.

The announcement was made in
a 5-line statement by the official
Soviet news agency Tass in the
style reserved for pronouncements
from the government itself.

The announcement was printed on
page two of the Sunday news-
papers without fanfare and there
was no editorial comment. Copies
of newspapers carrying the an-
nouncement were posted on bulletin
boards in parks and were

eagerly read.

The Tass statement said any ex-
plosions which may have been felt
outside the Soviet Union were
caused merely by large-scale blast-
ing on construction projects.

As for atomic production, Tass
said, former Soviet Foreign Minister
V. M. Molotov announced in
November, 1947, that the secret of
the atom bomb had ceased to exist.

"This statement signified that
the Soviet Union already had dis-
covered the secret of the atomic
weapon and had this weapon at
its disposal," Tass said.

The statement went on to say
there was no cause for alarm be-
cause the Soviet Union still ad-
hered to its position in favor of
the unconditional prohibition of
the use of the atomic weapon."

Observers recalled a statement
by Premier Josef Stalin several
years ago to the effect that the
atom bomb project would be
outlawed and never used, similar
to poison gases after the first world
war.

"Maybe now we can have real
peace, since nobody dare attack
us," said one Soviet citizen, a
chained and veteran of the last
war who had marched with Soviet
armies from Stalingrad to Berlin.

Foreign observers believed the
Soviet Union would renew discus-
sions in the United Nations for out-
lawing atomic warfare as a re-
sult of the Soviet discoveries.

Devaluation Necessary to Britain

Washington, Sept. 21 — (UPI)
A country devalues its money be-
cause it has to.

In Britain's case, it was as sim-
ple as this: Pounds would buy so
little, as compared with dollars,
that people didn't want pounds.

They were willing to pay a pre-
mium, in pounds, to get hold of
dollars.

And as long as Britain insisted
that a pound was worth \$4.03, the
many foreigners who thought otherwise
didn't do business with
Britain.

Now Britain says a pound is
worth \$2.00. A pair of British
gloves that was marked one pound
or \$4.03 can be bought for 30
per cent less.

That is a more realistic price,
by the standards of Americans and
a lot of other people. Britain there-
fore should sell more gloves — and
more of everything else she makes.

The question arises: Why do
countries have fixed, "official"
rates at all? Why don't they just
let currencies find their own level
in the financial markets of New
York or Paris or Switzerland, and
let values fluctuate like wheat
prices?

This is why:

A businessman who sells to
foreigners must know the value of the
money he will receive when his
cargo reaches port. Otherwise he
cannot safely quote a price, figure
profit, or be sure of avoiding loss.

And a businessman who places
orders abroad for quality deliv-
ered over a long period of time
must be sure that the foreign cur-
rency is stable enough to insure
his getting his money's worth.

Therefore, nations set great
store by the stability of their cur-
rency. Otherwise they must cease
to be trading nations. The Italians
used to talk bravely of defending
the lira at 10,000,000 bayonets."

It takes more than bayonets to
keep a currency stable.

In Britain, there was a wartime
and postwar inflation. Britain was
short of goods, her factories flat-
tened. She couldn't export until
she could feed and fuel her house-
hold own people. She imported far
more than she exported. She
couldn't earn enough dollars by
selling to America to pay for what
she bought.

The "unfavorable balance of
trade" became a chronic deficit
and finally, a crisis, when the last
remaining reserves of dollars ran
desperately low.

Meantime people in Britain had
pounds. They were at work. They
wanted goods and foodstuffs and
comforts. They would get them
from the United States but they
had to have dollars to do so.

England clamped restrictions on
the number of dollars it would
give its people for pounds. As dol-
lars got scarce, people were willing
to pay an extra value on them.
The labor government had let
the lira, its social welfare pro-
grams aside from questions of
inflation or deflation, imbedded taxes
into the costs of production. A
pound bought less and less, whether
it was held by a Britisher or a
foreigner. American prices went
up, but not nearly so fast.

There were lots of pounds float-
ing around, but they didn't rep-
resent the goods that people wanted.
They demanded dollars instead.

All the while Britain was mak-
ing fine recovery — within the
British Isles. Production rose. Ex-
ports moved 50 per cent ahead of
prewar.

But that wasn't enough. Last
April the channels of trade be-
came clogged with pounds. British
exports began to fall. Even with
Marshall plan help, the gap be-
tween dollars owed and dollars
earned began to widen.

Mexico is named after "Mexi-
til", national war god of the
Aztecs.

Arkansas Louisiana Pipeline



Route of the Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company's new \$8,000,000 gas pipeline from Waskom, Texas to Lake Charles, Ark. is illustrated in the map above. Construction of the 163-mile line to supplement the company's present system was approved Monday, September 15, by the Federal Power Commission in Washington, D. C., and work started immediately. The line will have three multiple-river crossings and deliver 200,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily when completed. Every effort is being made to finish construction and start gas flowing through the line before cold weather sets in.



The U. S. Government's Most Forgotten Waif Is Apparently the American Housewife

By HAL BOYLE
New York — (UPI) — Government's side down in a hurricane and still
most forgotten waif is the American housewife.

The hand that rocks the cradle for the matrons, no subsidies for
the hand that rocks the world, but it isn't democratic as there are more
getting any handouts from Washington than businessmen in
Washington. And it appears to be more housewives than working
men, more housewives than dirt farmers.

There is a department of commerce
to help the used business
men solve his commercial woes.
There is a department of labor to
keep the poor working man.
And there are so many agencies set up to
aid nature's noblemen, the fam-
er, that he can plant his seeds up-

Oklahomans to Vote Liquor Issue Tuesday

Oklahoma City, Sept. 26 — (UPI)
For 40 years Oklahomans have
argued over legalized liquor with
the drys holding the upper hand
by a comfortable margin.

Tuesday they vote for the sixth
time on the issue. A turnout of
400,000-500,000 voters is predicted,
especially heavy for a special election.

The proposition is for outright
repeal of the prohibition provision
of the constitution. It would bar the
open saloon, sale of liquor on Sun-
day and sale to minors. Control
laws would be left to the legislature.

Also on the ballot is a proposed
\$30,000,000 bond issue for repair
and modernization of state institu-
tional buildings. It would be re-
turned from two cents of the present
five-cent state cigarette tax.

Gov. Roy J. Turner, advocate of
the bond issue, says no new or
increased taxes would be necessary.
The governor has not com-
mitted himself on repeal.

Repeal efforts have been led by
the Oklahoma Economic Institute,
organized last winter. The O. E. I.
circulated initiative, repeat peti-
tions gaining 212,000 signatures.

President of the O. E. I. is Al-
bert G. Kulp, Tulsa attorney.

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GOLD MEDAL

FLOUR Kitchen Tested

25 lb. Bag 1.49

CLABBER GIRL

BAKING POWDER 2 lb. 21c

SODA ARM and HAMMER

1/2 lb. Boxes 3 for 10c

PURE RENDERED

LARD

8 lb. Bucket 1.45 4 lb. Crt. 68c

FULL CREAM

COFFEE 3 lb. Bag 1.19 1 lb. Bag 43c

PET or CARNATION

MILK Small Can

5 1/2c Large Can 10 1/2c

LIPTON'S BRISK FLAVOR

TEA 1 lb. 1.02

1/2 lb. 52c 1/4 lb. Box 27c

DEL ROSE FLOUR 25 lb. Bag 1.59

SOAP P & G or CRYSTAL WHITE

6 10c Bars 33c

RINSO or SILVER DUST

Giant Size Box 59c Large Size Box 25c

TOMATOES No. 1 Can 6 1/2c No. 2 Can 10c

MAYFIELD CORN 3 No. 2 Cans 29c

RED TRIUMPH U. S. NO. 1

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